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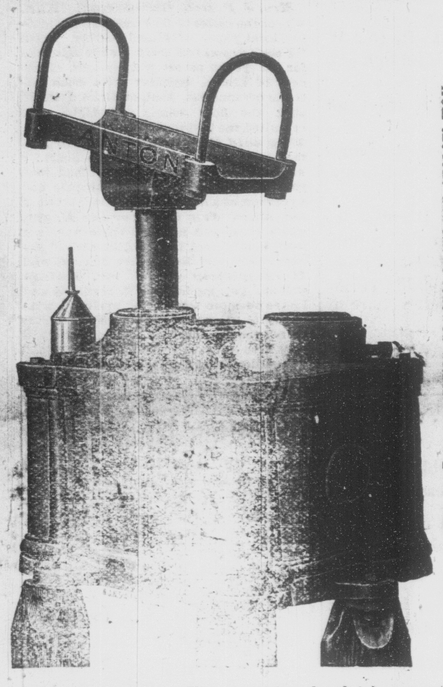

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LOCAL NEWS.

The following Planoites were in Mckinney last week: J. M. Hancock, N. C. Smith, J. R. Hendrix, and Miss Eula Plemmons.

G. W. Bowman, of Plano, was appointed a director of the Agricultural and Mechanical college by the governor.

Miss Minnie Calloway, of Wylie, was in McKinney last week.

Tom Brown, of Wylie was in our city last week.

Alex Reagan, of Farmersville, was in McKinney last week.

Eld. J. B. Faulkner preached in Farmersville last week.

Prof. C. F. Trotter and Dr. Funk, of Blue Ridge, were in McKinney Saturday.

Mrs. Maddox, of Van Alstyne, visited in McKinney last week.

The oil mill and alliance mill ball teams played a match game Thursday, resulting in in a victory for the latter club. The score was 41 to 12.

It is reported that Wylie and Plano are to be connected by a telephone line in the near future.

Drs. Pardue and Baldridge, of Wylie, came over to the metropolis last week.

Saturday was a "wet" day in McKinney—it rained and local option did not go into effect until midnight.

John Moss was bitten by a copper head snake last week and taken to Farmersville for treatment. His arm was badly swollen and at last account was in a serious condition.

W. J. Henson, of Nevada, has a cat which, after the loss of her kittens, adopted four young squirrels which were left in her care.

The McKinney city financial report shows $14,000 on hands. W. H. Sims, treasurer, in his report says: "The school fund is now in good condition, but you may look for it to fall behind soon." This report is dated April 16, 1895.

Mr. Geo. Wilcox relates the following: "A farmer and a McKinneyite met on a dilapidated part of a sidewalk the other day. The McKinneyite said to the farmer, 'This walk needs fixing,' whereupon the farmer said most vigorously: 'Well, what of it? I don't live here; you need not jaw me about it. If you want your darned old sidewalks fixed just go and fix 'em. I'll not do it.'"

Farmersville was visited, on the 3rd, by an unusually heavy rain which did much damage to fruit and crops. Lightening struck the house of Mr. Chapin, living near Cow Skin, knocking Mrs. Chapin down and shocking her husband. Wind also played considerable havoc in the way of unroofing houses, etc.

FAMOUS DERELICT.

The hydrographic office has at last given up the Woolston for lost. On Sept. 25, 1891, she sailed from the Satilla river, Georgia, lumber laden, for Bath. She became waterlogged and was abandoned off the Virginia coast. Then she began to drift on the high seas—a fearful menace to navigation. She went to the center of the Atlantic and back, was seen 46 times by passing vessels, was boarded three times, set on fire with tar and paraffine in vain, and after covering 8,655 miles, counting by straight lines, was seen last in October—six months ago almost to a day. She was then scooting off toward Nova Scotia. No derelict ever drifted so long before. Three months is their average life. The Woolston is known to have fought the seas successfully alone for three years. She was famous wherever ships go, and now that the sea is rid of her sailors sleep better than they did before. A book is to be written on her "lonely journeys up and down the seas."—Chicago Times-Herald.

A DEMOCRATIC SPEECH.

Sirs and fellow lunatics: When in the course of mundane mutations, it becomes necessary to humble yourself and get right down to business and pursue that business to the bitter end, I flatter myself that there is nothing in the shape of democratic perfection extant or extinct, that is better fitted by nature or practice to the getting down business than my faithful and democratic self, who to-day stands before you suffering from the blues, clad in the togary of blue drillain, standing under the blue dome of heaven, looking into the blue eyes of this blue audience, I feel like exclaiming in the vernacular of one of old, give me liberty or give me pie. Afflicted as I am with gout and rheumatism, gold standard embrrassment, love and the itch, blinded by party prejudice and geographical partialities, reared in the swamps of pessimistic misanthropy, accustomed to a diet of hard cider, hard times and hard knocks, being fed on thin air, cornbread and democratic promises, having had an irrepressible conflict of fifty years duration with original ideas, rags and original sin, how is it possible for me to work miracles, perceive righteousness, convert the heathen, establish a young men's christian association, gobble up empires, get perpetual motion, reform the tariff or get office? Am I not a fit subject for mocuous solitude or democratic caucus? If you think I am not just give me a chance.

First I am a democrat cause pap was a democrat. I believe first last and all the time in Grover Cleveland believing that he is chief of all cuckoos and the one altogether a honey. I furthermore believe and swear that he is the being of whom the prophet spoke when he said, 'and let all the angels worship him and that whosoever sinneth against him wrongeth his own soal and all the pops that do not like him love death." I furthermore believe and advocate a free-trade, high-protective tariff, that suits the locality in which I get my washing. I also hate a republican worse than anything on earth or under it, except a populist. My reason for this is that I am a democrat. As such I believe that democracy never having had a beginning will never have an end and like the priesthood of Melchisadec being without beginning of days or end of years. We can't be supplanted by any issue that in these latter days are arising to torment the faithful heroes. I am a sound democrat. I believe in the free coinage of silver at an international ratio between Rothschilds, John Sherman and Cleveland. I am so opposed to trusts that I can hardly trust in the Lord or my own conscience. I am for reciprocity and harmony and hard times and pie—for this reason I am a hungry democrat. I believe in an honest ballot and a democratic count, I am opposed to force bills and negro dominations, hence the necess for counting the votes of dead negroes in Alabama to beat the white people of that state out of their rights—this is why I am opposed to force bills. Being this kind of a democrat I am willing to raise 4 cent cotton to pay 10 per cent interest upon money secured by a mortgaged farm in order that I may be able to maintain parity of honest money for the benefit of corporate investments, hence I am a law abiding democrat, having no fears that evil shall come upon me so long as I continue to fear Grover, respect John Sherman and vote'er straight and hate a populist. I believe in Grover's last message. Five hundred-million fifty-year bonds for the banker shows democratic prosperity and whoever says to the contrary is a liar by the Chicago platform. As a democrat there are some things especially in Texas I hate. To enumerate: First the Industrial Headlight, second the populist leaders. I hate them for their impudence and brazen faced egotism. Only think they are trying to capture the holy citadel of the faithful in Texas and turn it over to anarchistic dogs and Gentiles. My brethren it shall not be. Good government, prosperity, honest money, parity and harmony demand their utter annihilation. Up and at them. Grover and sound currency, dead negroes and Wall street be with you ever to the end, and I am with you up to the tip of my off ear.

I thank you for your very patriotic attention—lets go and take something.—Bowie Industrial Headlight.

MORGAN'S WAR TALK.

Washington, April 30.—Senator Morgan of Alabama in an interview on the Nicaraguan situation to-day characterized the insult to Consular Agent Hatch, "The flimsiest kind of a pretext on the part of Great Britain," and said, "If a private individual would sue for damages on such a case he would be laughed out of court."

He had no criticism to pass on the administration, because, as he said, he presumed the administration had taken proper steps to prevent Great Britain from obtaining a foothold on Nicaraguan territory.

"But if it has not," he added, "the next congress will, even if Great Britain must be driven off at the point of the bayonet."

Senator Morgan added that he did not think that the canal project would be endangered by the present complications. He said "This case has gone far beyond the Monroe doctrine, far beyond the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. It has a character that is distinctly its own and that rests on higher ground than any doctrine or treaty that has ever been enunciated. The United States and the government of Nicaragua and Costa Rica have entered into a solemn compact with each other looking to the construction of this great maritime highway. The company, composed mostly of citizens of the United States, is organized and starts the work. Now comes Great Britain with that domineering spirit of aggression that has marked her course throughout the history of modern times and upon the slightest of pretexts, the most absurd of excuses, makes a demand upon the government of Nicaragua that she does not expect to be complied with and all in the hope that through the default of the weaker government she will be enabled to establish a sovereignty over the country and thus control development of the canal and of the traffic that may pass through it. I believe that congress at its next session will, if nothing shall be done meanwhile by the authorized powers now in authority effectually and finally stop the aggressions of Great Britain and absolutely prevent her gaining a foothold at this most important point on the American continent. I think there is enough American spirit in the American people to put a stop to this proceeding. Great Britain is not going to stop it of her own volition. Somebody has got to step in and be disagreeable, and this seems to be a good opportunity for the United States to assume that role."

CROSS ROADS ITEMS.

Editor Democrat:

The recent rains are making us all feel good, when we are not looking at the weeds.

Our school, conducted by Prof. Kemper and his worthy lady, has just closed with a public examination that spoke well for teachers and pupils. The last week of the school was given to examinations. The first four days to written examination and the last day to oral examination that the public might see what had been done. Among those that took a distinction in certain branches were, according to the teacher's report, Wirt Phillips, Geo. Finley, Lee Robinson, James Gossette, Carl Stelzer, Alvin Perkins, Sül Gotcher, Ernest McCoy, John Gossette, Charlie Byrd, May Hughes, Darcie McCoy, Sadie Shropshire, Ollie King, Una King, Lela Strader and Janie Perkins; besides many of the little folks that did not stand a written examination The prizes in the spelling contest were awarded to Joe King, Durel Stelzer and Ida Belle Kelly. The school gave an entertainment at night which was highly appreciated. A part of the entertainment was contest speaking for premiums. The girls of the school were divided into two classes as follows: 1st 2nd and 3rd grade girls constituted the 1st class and the 4th 5th and 6th grades the second. Ina Mallone, a girl of the third grade received the premium in the first division, and Annie Flemings, a girl of the 6th grade, in the 2nd class, and Edgar Ousley was awarded the premium that was offered to boys for the best speech. Lila Strader was awarded the prize as the best speaker, her grade sonsidered. The prizes were all books.

Our teacher has been with us two years and we shall strain an effort to keep him a third.

ABE'S SUBSTITUTE.

FROM DALLAS.

Dallas, Tex., May 2, 1895.

Editor Democrat:

In answer to a question of our Sister Grove correspondent, regarding the welfare of myself and family, will, with much pleasure, in a brief, but pointed style, give to the readers of Sister Grove a few dots concerning our town.

Concerning the people here, I like them well. They are noted for their intelligence, sociability and are in particular patriotic, and as for medical assistance our town is second to none. Am more than pleased with the medical assistance I have received under our noted and world-wide famed Drs. R. H. Chiton & McReynolds. But, I presume, you are aware of the fact that when one has spent his best days on the farm, even if it has been almost in seclusion, and to leave the dear old home place for some city where the din of the wheels of industry are forevor ringing in one's ears, it has a tendency to make us want the time to speedily come when we can re-enter upon our duties of that beloved place called "the farm," and enjoy the sweets of its ancient customs. And as for the remainder of the family, they are enjoying the sweets of city life, and think that there is no place like Dallas; but as for the Right Hon. C. C. Frost, L. L. D., he is certainly going to enter farm life again.

Wishing the many readers of this paper around Sister Grove much success in every particular, I am as ever, C. C. FROST.

GENERAL NEWS.

CAREFULLY COMPILED FOR THE DEMOCRAT'S READERS.

News has just been received of the loss of seven sailors in an Alaskan wreck April 14.

The Texas Press association meets in Waco on the 16 to 18 inst.

Mr. Fuentes correspondent of the New York World in Cuba, has been arrested by the Spanish authorities.

CHAIRMAN Hinrichson of the Democratic state committee of Illinois gives to the public a personal letter from Judge Andrew J. Hunter a democrat of Paris Ill. in which Judge Hunter says: "The acts of the administration fell like a blight and mildew upon the hopes of the party leaving nothing but defeat and disintegration as a monument."

Three local option violation cases against R. M. Sneed of Roanoke was tried in the Denton county court last week, which resulted in a hung jury on one and convictions on two of them.

A terrible cyclone carried destruction to Iowa towns on the 3rd. Hundreds were killed, school houses toppled over on the prattling children and great loss was done to property.

The Pan-American Congress of Religion and Education will be held at Toronto, Canada, July 18 to 25, 1895. Rev. Samuel G. Smith, D. D., of St. Paul, Minn., is President. The Congress will be composed of representatives from every Country, Province and State in North and South America, including, Protestants, Roman Catholics and Hebrews. The Congress will consider the great moral and social questions of the day. Many of the highest dignitaries of Church and State, and prominent philanthropists, have promised to participate.

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CALAMITY CITY GEMS.

Calamity City, May 1, 1895.

Editor Democrat:

The inhabitants of our little village are quietly enjoying the balmy spring breezes that fan our cheek and brow.

We had a good rain last week which was highly appreciated, for we were certainly in need of water.

Farmers are very busy now.

A merry party left our town last week for a picnic on the mossy banks of some rippling stream, with a view of catching the finney tribe, but on their return they reported the minnows too contrary to be caught.

Sunday was a pleasant day for all. Sunday school in the morning and singing in the afternoon; both proved to be a success.

We attended singing at Sister Grove Sunday evening and heard of a prospective wedding; do hope they will remember this scribe with a huge slice of cake. Eugene was there too, There! I see him shaking a warning finger at me, I won't say another word.

Mr. Watts, of Melissa, was in our town last week, visiting his friend, Mr. Tom Derrick.

Dr. J. M. Skelton visited relatives in Dallas last week.

Uncle Charlie Watson, who has been so low for several months, with consumption, quietly passed out into the great beyond last Monday. His remains were interred in the Van Winkle graveyard on Wednesday evening. A large crowd attended the funeral.

The little babe of Mr. Cliffton died last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Bomgardener and family, of Lebanon, are visiting relatives here this week.

Misses Nora Hoskins and Nancy Thomas, of Farmersville, spent Sunday in Calamity City.

We had the pleasure of attending the County alliance at Snow Hill the 17th. We enjoyed the day very much; met several old friends, among the number were L. L. Miller and family whom we had not seen for quite a while. Yes! F. E. M. and her "wiser half" were there. No, don't look so anxious, we are not going to give you away this time, but you must do better in a very short time or we will, sure.

Mr. Robert Crover, who had one limb broken some time since is rapidly improving. We hope to see him among the young people again soon.

The singing at Mr. Laddin Thomas' was largely attended Sunday night and all report a pleasant time.

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CONTRACTION has been the blighting curse of all ages.

WHY not even up with a period of inflation?

THE people at present writing seem determened to go behind the returns.

WHEN England gets in a financial strait she gees out and robs a neighboring nation.

THE democratic party moves onward—to the political boneyard.

GROVER Cleveland is busily engaged in writing a "series" of letters to a suffering public.

JAPAN has consented to take money instead of territory from vanquished China.

A deceased editor leaves word for his subscribers to "come down and pay up."

THE laborer should vote for his own interest and not crouch at the feet of aristocricy like a slave.

THE "vicious fee system" remains on the statute books Gov. Culberson to the contrary, notwithstanding.

TURNEY, democrat, who was beaten for governor of Tennessee at the polls has been seated by a democratic legislature.

THE capital stock and bonded indebtedness of the H. & T. C. railroad is $26,341,420 or $57,590 per mile.

ENGLAND has just finished a neat job of robbing Nicaragua. Who will the brutish lion pounce upon next?

W. B. HOWARD editor of the North Texas Review, Paris, Texas, died April 26. The reform press of Texas loses a valuable member in his death.

Gov. Culberson vetoes 19 items in the general appropriation bill for the year ending Feb., 28, 96 and Feb., 28, 97. Amounting to $130,540. The total appropriation amounted to $4,483,276.32.

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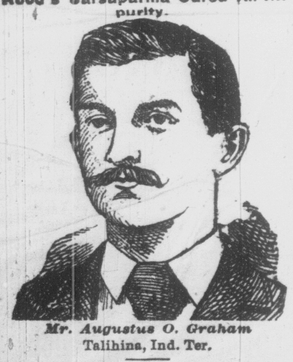

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Hood's Pills cure all Liver Ills, Biliousness, Jaundice, Indigestion, Sick Headache.

THE man who sits in idleness brings disease upon himself and offspring. He should think more of his unborn than to avoid work or make it possible for them to do so.

BILL Shaw, of Texas Farmer, consoles himself by declaring that the Populists are no better than democrats. This is a serious charge, but we must remember that Bill is the greatest political clown in America.

E. L. DUNLAP, member of the state democratic executive committee opposes a meeting of his committee because he says a split is inevitable as soon as it assembles. Poor helpless wreck, is democracy(?) even away down here in Texas.

"THE financial question is the one great issue." These are the words of democrat and republican leaders. These gourd headed idiots were told this by the populist in the last campaign but the cranks continued to squeal, "t-a-r-u-f R-e-f-o-r-m!"

EX-Governor Hogg is beginning to discover that hostility to corporate capital is not the picnic it was cracked up to be.—Denison Herald.

HOWEVER, Hogg is having a picnic—he is working for corporate capital.

THE committee of investigation of the Turney—Evans contest in Tennessee announces that there were 22,000 votes illegally cast by the republican and democratic parties. Very candid acknowledgment from a committee composed of seven democrats and five republicans.

FOR fear that some other newspaper will not mention it, the Rustler will remark that about the most sensible thing the legislature did during its four months' session was to adjourn.—Wylie Rustler.

WE will wager a ginger cake that in the next campaign, when a populist makes a like statement that Tom will almost tear his shirt with indignation! But then we must remember that Tom is a "flexible" democrat.

Messrs Rossback and Birdsall two respectable farmers of Conral county Texas, had a difficulty on the 3rd inst. in which the latter was shot and killed.

Gov. Morrill, of Kansas, is charged with obtaining money from the state under false pretense. Now what have the democreps to say about Lewelling.

GO TO THE COAST.

The Surplus population of Collin county now go to the coast in stead of to the Panhandle.

E. A. Jordon and C. A. Myers two farmers of Josephine locality bought beach land farms in Calhoun county near Port Lavaca and many others who need cheap land and looking that way. The Josephine men say that the Port Lavaca region is one of the best countries in Texas.

FROM MILLIGAN.

Milligan, Texas, May 4, 1895.
Editor Democrat

Crops are looking well at this writing.

Joseph Pullen and wife are on the sick list; also Eld. Joe Lewis.

H. C. Rutledge is gone to Houston on business.

Mrs. D. C. Efird has returned from Caddo Mills where she has been visiting her son.

Bro. Locke, the blind preacher, preached to a large audience at Mount Zion Church Sunday night.

We are glad to see our young friend, Prof. J. L. L. D. Treece, who has been teaching school at Wylie, in our midst again

C. E. M.

FIRST FROM FONCINE.

Foncine, Tex., May 5, 1895.
Editor Democrat:

Our village is comparatively small but has only been lately founded.

We have one of the latest improved gins, two threshing machines and Mr. R. C. Fisher to engineer them; a blacksmith shop postoffice, and a family grocery.

We have ample water and health seems to prevail.

Farmers are in good spirit. We had a good rain this week. Crops are looking fine.

We are in need of a docter, a church house and a minister of the gospel.

R. C. Fisher took a flying trip to Dallas this week.

Miss Lena Hickey is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Roe.

Miss Archa Thompson, from Weston, is visiting relatives in this community.

Tho sub-alliance of Upper Rowlett is on a boom.

LEWIS.

NOTICE.

I will speak at Illinois school house Saturday may 18, 95. Every body invited.

E. F. England.

SUMMER NORMAL AT McKINNEY.

All business men and all others who are interested in obtaining the session of eight weeks, of the Summer Normal for McKinney are hereby earnestly requested to meet in the district court room Friday night May 10.

J. M. Pearson Mayor.

TO THE PEOPLE OF McKINNEY.

Monday May 6, 1895

It being reported that the small-pox exists seve nmiles southwest of McKinney, I recommend that all the school children that did not pass the examination at the public schools, white and colored, come to my office and be vaccinated, as they will not be permitted to enter unless their name be found on the roll of those successfully vaccinated.

Vaccination and isolation is the only way known to man to stamp out small-pox.

R. Gale, Health officers.

The Lone Star wheel club met with Mac Marshall Tuesday, May 7. The following officers were elected for the the term of six months: Carrie Emerson, president; Marjie Lovejoy, vice-president; Mac Marshall, treasurer; Clare Dowell, Secretary; Maggie Furr, asst. secretary. Adjourned to meet with Clare Dowell, Thursday May 16.

SISTER GROVE ITEMS.

Sister Grove, May 6, 1895.
Editor Democrat:

Mrs. Morrow has about recovered from her illness for the past few days.

There was a wedding on the night of the 2d. The contracting parties being Miss Josie Beck and Mr. Jim Gladden. May their life be one of bliss.

Miss Laura Hollingsworth, of Farmersville, is on a visit to home folks.

The little child of Mr. Clifton was buried at the Illinois cemetery on the 29th ult. The bereaved ones have our sympathy.

The young people have postponed their fishing excursion till the mud dries up.

Mrs. D. B. Toombs visited Mrs. George Toombs Sunday last.

Bob Lafevers attended church at Spring Hill Sunday and Sunday school at Rock Quarry. The attendance at singing was small Sunday on account of rain.

Base ball at this place is getting to be very interesting.

Fate Horton went to McKinney Monday on business.

Some of the young people of this place attended church at Illinois Sunday last.

EUGENIA.

ALLIANCE DEPARTMENT.

[EDITED BY MISS CORA CALDWELL, PRINCETON TEX.]

Be earnest and work in the world's broad field;
Be awake! There's no time for sleeping;
If we sow a wide field, a rich harvest 'twill yield.
And after the toil comes the reaping.

There is work for all in this great, busy world,
And we each have a watch to be keeping;
Let us work with a will, and be watchful and brave
For after the toil comes the reaping

The reaping—oh! what shall we reap in that day;
Shall we gather a bountiful treasure?
Shall the sheaves be all gold with the full, ripened grain,
And the granary filled with its measure.

Let us trust that it may, let us with aim,
With this motto always in our keeping;
That toil as we may, 'twill eveer be the same,
Ever after the toil comes the reaping.

The above lines form a suitable motto for the great work that we as a people have undertaken, so let us all go to work with a hearty good will and let each member of the alliance do his duty and success will certainly be our reward.

We have received only one report from sub-alliance's up to date; get to work brethren and comply with your promises.

We are in receipt of a splendid report from the Altoga alliance his week. Their people attend regularly and are wide awake and, knowing their duty, they do not hesitate to attend to it at once.

Sister Grove alliance is doing a splendid work just now, four new names have been added to our roll and others coming in; we are glad to see the good work going on. Our people are highly pleased with the idea of the County alliance meeting with us in July, and hope to have a pleasant and profitable meeting.

SMALL-POX.

CAUTION ADVISED BY MAYOR PEARSON,

YET IT IS GENERALLY THOUGHT THAT THERE WILL BE NO FURTHER SPREAD OF THE DISEASE.

[DALLAS NEWS.]

McKinney, Tex., May 8, 1895.

Small-pox reports from Plano have caused no little excitement here within the last forty-eight hours.

It was reported here last evening that Mrs. S. T. Hammond, of this city, had been exposed to the cases west of Plano and had returned to her home here. Your reporter called on Mr. Hammond this morning at his place of business and inquired about the truth of the rumors regarding his wife. Mr. Hammond emphatically states that his wife had never been exposed to the cases near Plano and furthermore, she has never returned home but is at Dallas on a visit and will remain there for some time to come.

At present writing there are no suspicious cases in the vicinity of McKinney.

The following private letter was handed to the News reporter this morning:

Plano, Tex., May 7, 1895.
Mate Barnett, McKinney, Tex.
Dear sir:—

There are two malignant cases of small-pox five miles west of Plano, Mr. Collingsworth's little girls. State health officer Swearenger came to-day and pronounced it the genuine small-pox. Considerable excitement until he came. He says there is no danger here.

We are going on with our school at his dictates. He says there is no danger here. He furthermore says it is useless to take any rigid measure towards quarantining the place.

The case at Mr. Colliers is not small-pox.

I am sure it will not reach Plano or McKinney. There may be other cases developed in a few days. Swearenger says this may be the last of it. There need be no more crop at furthest.

J. R. HENDRIX.
(School Supt.)

The News reporter called on Mayor Pearson this morning who said that there had been no quarantining against Plano as reported in the dispatch from that place in this mornings News. He however, invited the reporter to a seat and wait until he wrote out for the public a proclamation as follows:

PROCLAMATION.

Whereas at a meeting of the city council of McKinney, Texas, on the 7th day of May, 1895, information was given them to the effect that two cases of small-pox had been developed in a neighborhood seven miles west of Plano, and whereas said city council is desirous of taking such steps as are necessary for the prevention of the spread of the disease and the protection of the citizens generally.

Now therefore I, J. M. Pearson, Mayor of McKinney, in obedience to instruction of said city council do hereby prohibit all persons who have been exposed to said disease from coming to McKinney until the requisite time has elapsed from the time of exposure until it is too late for the said disease to develop on said person or persons. Further all persons within the limits of McKinney who have not been vaccinated are hereby requested to immediately be vaccinated and all persons are urged to have their respective places of residence and business thoroughly cleansed and disinfected.

And, at the suggestion of consulting physicians all persons are requested to desist from visiting any sick person until sufficient time shall have elapsed within which to safely determine the nature and character of the disease. All persons knowing of any person having a contagious disease or symptoms of the same are requested to immediately inform the city physician or other city authorities. Ample arrangments have been made for furnishing vaccination free to all persons not able to pay for same and they are respectfully asked to call upon the city physician Dr. Gale.

J. M. Pearson, Mayor,
R. F. Dowell, City Secretary.
McKinney, Texas, May 8, 95

The commissioners' court has issued a similar proclamation.

LATER:—A negro by the name of Bill Tucker isolated in the southwest part of McKinney is sick. Physicians say that he has a modified case of varioloid, protected by vaccination. We have no official information about the case. There are various reports afloat but no danger is anticipated as all precaution is used.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Forty Years the Standard.

MARRIAGE BELLS.

License issued by County Clerk Walden since our last report:

M C Watts and Julia Hanna.
H L Thomason and Jessie Bealand.
R L Reynolds and Mabel Parker.
Eli Finney and Ella Lively.
W F Parr and Mattie Corbett.
S A Green and Ellen Shoot.
L C Burch and Emma Wells.
King Simmons and Mrs Jane Ivory.
W C Brown and Maggie A Joines.
J H Smith and Clarenda Driggers.
W Douling and L A White.
C N Malone and Dillie Andrews.
Jno W Wheeler and Lucy Davinson.
J H Dewitt and Laura Bush.
Robert Johnson and Fay Fitzgerald.
Sam Brown and Lizzie Patterson.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining unclaimed in the postoffice, at McKinney, Tex., May 7, 1895, which, if unclaimed in two weeks, will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington D. C.

Angle Minnie	Blankinridge Daniel
Baird Willie	
Barnes W T	Berry B S
Bridges Lou	Box Jas C
Burnett Dr Ed S	Carleton J W
Clarke J M	Chandler Halie
Cooper Lucy	Coleman Thomas
Crowell J W	Dancer Charley
Dexter Charles	Dowell J D
Dorchester Ghonnie	Estes W D
Eller Mrs Hannah	Christine
Enoch Tom	Edison Jas W
Full Ead	Graham Noah
Hasha Ben	Hamilton J D
Howland C L	Houston Jim
Harris W L	Jones B D
Jarber Mrs Eliza	King Charles M
Lanier Thos	Landrum Tom
Little W P	Lovelady Mrs Mary
Love Miss Dollie	McKee John T 2
Malone Minnie	Maydewell Wm
Merriwether Frank	Mitchell Annie
Morrison Nancy	Murray A V
Murphey M L	Mathanson Irwin
Manison Jas I	Pearce Ed
Pullen A M	Rogins C J
Rosson Lewis	Roberts Jack
Rainwater B M	Rutherford Miss Myrtle
Samuels A W	
Sanders Wider	Starks T J
Sparks Cora & Husband	
Stewart B P	Stephens R M
Spencer Mrs Caroline	
Tilles B W	Turner M A
Turner James	Smith Sallie
Thompson Little Emma	
Thompson Tom	Wallas Annie
Wade Miss Bell	Wood G D
Watson Adam	Williams Oscar

Persons calling for letters on this list must say "advertised" or they may fail to get them.

Mrs. M. A. CAMERON,
Postmistress.

On Monday night, a crowd of young people on pleasure bent repaired to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chaney's of Englemun who threw their house open to the jolly guests. Miss Jennie Chaney assisted by her brothers Wade and Walter extended a hearty welcome to all. The following were present.—Misses Virgie Kerr, Minnie Graham, Cora Sneed, Addie Kerr, of Vineland, Mattie Kerby, Lillie Scott, Trude Kerby, Mattie Kerr, Bettie Royall; Messers Card Snider, J. W. Kerby, L. T. Garrett, Ross Kerr, Frank Kerby, Louis Bird, Willie Kerby, Tom Kerby, M. Scott, Tom Sneed, J. A. Campbell, Jim Graham, Jim Spurgen, Willie Hardaway.

DELEGATES TO U. C. V. RE-UNION AT HOUSTON, TEXAS MAY 22, 23 AND 24.

Headquarters Camp 109, U. C. V. McKinney, Tex., May 7.—I have appointed the following comrades as delegates and alternates to the annual re-union at Houston and will say that each delegate, who now intends to go, should so inform the adjutant here; also such as can not go should inform the adjutant of that fact, so that some one can be appointed to fill his place, if some alternate can not take it. All alternates should also inform the adjutant at once whether or not they intend to go to Houston, so that the places of delegates who can not go can be filled first by alternates. This must be attended to, without fail, by the 15th of May, as each delegate will be compelled, under general orders, to have a certificate from the adjutant that he is a delegate before he will be recognized as such. Soon after the 15th of May the list will be revised and certificates issued to such as have informed the adjutant that they desire them and in case of neglect by any delegate to so inform the adjutant by the said date, his certificate will be issued to some one else.

Delegates: W. M. Abernathy, R. D. Allison, W. M. Bush, W. N. Bush, H. M. Beaty, J. W. Blantoe, R. W. Carpenter, J. L. Greer, Roland Gooch, F. M. Hill, S. D. Hatler, H. C. Mack, R. A. McLarry, T. J. Melton, Tom New, J. M. Pearson, J. R. Parker, H. M. Rollons, Charles Smith, J. H. Smith and Jos Wil-son.

Alternates: A. J. Atkinson, W. C. Burrus, Jake Bryant, Wm. Blalack, W. S. Coffey, J. S. Dowell, John Dysat, G. J. Davie, D. C. Efred, Sol Fitzhugh, J. P. Hale, E. W. Kirkpatrick, Owen Matthews, W. M. Pafford, J. S. Richards, John Rowland, R. T. Seay, Mack Smith, W. T. Wiley, W. M. Weaver and R. B. Whisnant.

It is very desirable that all delegates and alternates above named attend the re-union, but if any one of them can not go it is his duty to make it known to these headquarters at once and not delay, until it shall become necessary for the commanding officer to strike his name from the list and substitute other names for them; but we cannot have any confusion at this late date by delays and uncertainties.

F. M. HILL, Com.
H. C. MACK, Adj.

MCKINNEY MARKETS.

THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 9.

Cotton	4 to 5cts.
Wheat per bus	65 to 67cts.
Corn " "	40cts.
Oats " "	30 to 33cts.
Hay, baled, per ton	$6.50 to $6.75.
Millet hay per ton	$7.50 to $8.00
Flour per cwt	$1.75 to 2.25.
Chops per bus	$1.00.
Bran " cwt	85ct.
Potatoes per bus	$1.25
Sweet potatoes per bus	50cts.
Butter per lb	12½ to 15cts.
Eggs per doz	10cts.
Sorghum per gal	50cts.
Lard per lb	10cts.
Hogs per cwt	$3.75 to $3.90.
Beef on foot per cwt	$2.00 to $2.50.
" dressed " lb	5cts.
Dressed pork per lb	6cts.
Chickens per doz	$1.75 to $2.00.

DEATHS

Mr. James Caldwell who was in the employ of Asbury & Sneed, died Monday of blood poisoning. While at work screening a house he got his hand scratched when blood poisoning set in. His remains were interred in the Horn cemetery, north west of McKinney.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh, being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucious surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faithin its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Address

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75cts.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

[DEEDS AND RELEASES FILED WITH THE COUNTY CLERK SINCE OUR LAST REPORT AS COMPILED BY A. C. WILMETH.]

Purdue R S and wife to E R Conger, lot in Nevada, $65.

Thornton S D and wife to R S Purdue, lot in Nevada, $40.

Collin County to J P Crouch 156 acres county school land, $506.

Rike O A and wife to W G Wright, lot in Farmersville $600.

White Geo to James C Lowry 40 acres, Hardin-Wright survey $250.

Williams D O et al C M Rice 60 8-10 acres, Eli Murphy survey $766.

Williams D O as guardian to C M Rice 60 8-10 acres, Eli Murphy survey $1333.

Conklin R B et al to M B Sullivan and wife, release.

Goodner T C to John Johnson, Sr, lot in McKinney, trade.

Johnson John Sr to T C Goodner, lot in McKinney, trade.

Lovelace D M and wife to L W Oglesby 11 acres, J Muney survey $100.

Miller Robert A and wife to J H Lucas trustee, 20 acres, W W Roberts survey, $230.

Miller Robert A and wife to H L Hunter trustee, 20 acres, W W Roberts survey.

Watkins Henry and wife to John Johnson Sr, lot in McKinney, 250.

Aston W J and wife to H D Honaker et al lot in Farmersville $1740.

Aston W J and wife to H D Honaker, lot in Farmersville, $2134.

Epps J L and wife to W W Stiff 5 acres, Calvin Boles survey. $50.

Horton Wm and wife to H L Hunter trustee, 25 acres, Jno Roland survey, $46.

Shackleford H L and wife to H C Rutlege 30 acres Isaac Watts survey, $335.

Wilson J L and wife to J L White et al lot in McKinney $170.

Boggess R M to C M Rice 50 a McCullough and Ledbetter survey, $1700.

Bristol W H to M W Keen, release.

Hunter T J and wife to Orpha Hunter, lot in Anna, 600.$

Tushew W C and wife to H F Branch 28 acres J D Shelby survey, $570.

De Armond W J and wife to S L Smith 23 acres, C T Clift sur $323.

Maples L M and wife to E D Glen 36 acres Tom Bruce sur $450

Smith S L and wife to C N Wardlow 35 acres Miles Jones sur $629.

Wilson Almarino to S C Smith 460 acres Miles Jones sur $410.

Hill J W and wife to A S Graves, lot in McKinney, $150.

Lewis S T and wife to R G Hendricks, correction.

McKinney J M and wife to J W McKinney 89 acres, Fitzhugh and Pilant survey,

Portman M C to J S Hays, lot in Plano, $150.

Wakely G D and wife to James G Fitzhugh, lot in McKinney, $1000.

[Prompt personal attention to suits in any court in the county or state; houses rented and looked after; taxes paid. Terms reasonable. We solicit a share of your patronage.

A. C. WILMETH.
West of Foote House.]

SNAP SHOTS.

[Dallas News.]

Man made justice blind so that his escape would be easy.

Most people find it necessary to strain a point in order to make both ends meet.

Time may be money, but it is sometimes going the other way.

A fashionable collar for a woman is one that either runs up to her ears or falls down under her arms.

Shakespeare has discouraged many a spring poet.

Some people are so conservative that they never dare to think for themselves.

No man knows what exercise is until he has handled a baby.

The good opinion of vicious people is sometimes a bad thing to have.

A hobby sometimes runs away with its rider, but unfortunately it can't throw him and kill him.

The debtor who suppresses facts is apt to be short in his accounts.

A man who marries a star does not always get one of the heavenly bodies.

The tramp leads the world when it comes to whereabouts.

Man's idea of kindness is to throw dangerous physic to innocent dogs.

GENERAL NEWS.

CAREFULLY COMPILED FOR THE DEMOCRAT'S READERS.

A Bonham telephone company has been chartered.

Corinto, the Nicaraguan port siezed by the British fleet, has been evacuated.

Fred Konkite and team were killed by lightening at Henderson, Ill., on the 5 inst.

Quite a destructive cyclone to property prevailed in Fannin county Sunday.

An unknown man was found with his throat cut near Ennis on the 3rd.

The second annual convention of the Texas Equal Rights clubs will meet in Dallas, June 6.

The Oak Cliff Street Railway company will probably extend a line to Ft. Worth.

The National Liquor Dealers' Publishing company, of San Antonio, has been incorporated.

Peter Harmonson and wife were drowned, Sunday, while trying to ford Denton creek.

W. H. Woddell jr., of near Queen City Texas, is suspected of poisoning his three children.

Mrs. Laura O'Neal of Chicago is under police surveilance, suspected of the murder of her two year old children. Her husband is her accuser.

Mrs. Dr. Alberta Oberlin has been arrested at Fort Scott, Kan. for poisoning a number of people. She claimed to be a painless dentist.

Tremendous forest fires raged in portions of Pennsylvania during last week, destroying millions of feet of lumber and thousands of dollars worth of property.

A pest house riot occurred near Winchester, Ky., Sunday, caused by authorities trying to remove small-pox victims out of the town inth the country.

Mrs. Barbara Fisher being caught on a trestle near Petersburg, Ky., by a train, jumped into the water and was drowned.

Mrs. J. P. Bell, Osawatomie, Kan.
wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes *"I was troubled with heart disease for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. They said there was no help for me, that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisement in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart, which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and It completely cured me. I sleep well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did; there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial."*

Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure
Restores Health

Pain has no show with Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

A canning factory is talked of in Calhoun county, Tex.

It is reported that a syndicate has purchased 20,000 acres of land in Texas and will locate Dacota farmers on it.

Illinois free silver democrats held conventions on the 4th inst for the purpose of choosing delegates to the State democratic convention at Springfield in June.

The first Sunday in June a monument to Thomas Gaines will be unveiled at Comanche. The deceased was chairman of the populist state executive committee, and one of the best learned orators and defender of populism in Texas.

Harry Hayward, the Minneapolis murderer, has given up all hopes of escaping the gallows and complacently remarks, he expects a funeral about the first of the year.

Two lawyers, Dr. Sarepson Pope and Gen. McCrady, got into a row at Columbia, S. C. in the United States court. The row grew out of personal references during the argument of a case.

It is reported that Ex-Attorney Ceneral Garland got $10,000 from cattle men in consideration of getting a lease for them from the general government on 2,250,000 acres of land, in the territory, at the rate of 6cts per acre.

Wm. Sanderson was struck on the top of the head near Midland, Texas, by lightning, on the 3d inst., knocking a hole through his skull, breaking up his body, tearing off his clothing and melting his watch and chain.

NOTICE.

J. G. Anthony has moved his stock of groceries to the north side of the public square were he invites his customers to call and see him. He is better prepared to wait on all and furnish them with the best and freshest goods on the market at the most reasonable figures.

THE MONEY IS GONE.

Austin, Texas, May 6.—Warrants aggregating $100,000 in amount were cashed at the state treasury to-day and at 5 o'clock this evening Treasury Wortham announced that the general revenue fnnd was once more exhausted and that he would begin registering warrants again to-morrow morning. Claims against the state amounting to about $600,000 will accrue during the present month, to offset which receipts of $150,000 are anticipated, so that by June 1 the deficit will be about $150,000 and will continue to grow again until the $1,000,000 mark is reached by the close of the year. It is figured out in official circles that a cash basis will not be the order again before Feb. 1, 1895.

Smoke Uncle Abe cigars.

Dr. Hays was arrested and transferred to Jones county on the charge of arson this week.

Cal Davis and U. P. Clardy have formed a partnership in the meat business.

Bill Brown who worked in Stovall's saddle house a few years ago was killed at Terrell, yesterday. J. B. Riddle who was a former hotel keeper in McKinney, was arrested for the killing.

Going North. No. 13 Arrives 5:21 a. m.
" " " 3 " 10:59 a. m.
" " " 1 " 8:15 p. m.
" South " 2 " 8:14 a. m.
" " " 4 " 4:49 p. m.
" " " 14 " 9:28 p. m.

Sherman, Shreveport and Southern.

West Bound arrives.
Passenger Arrives..... 4:25 p. m.
Accommodation Arrives..... 10:50 a. m.
East Bound Departs.
Passenger Departs..... 12:09 p. m.
Accommodation..... 4:35 p. m.

Smoke Uncle Abe cigars.

Bowlby school closes Friday.

Rev. Grace, of Walnut Grove, was here Tuesday.

Miss Francesca Key is visiting in Dallas.

Miss Gradie Bogan returned from a visit to Nevada.

Fount Shrader was in the west part of the county last week.

Dr. Taylor makes a speciality of Crown and Bridge work.

Miss Hattie Crowder, of Lebanon, visited in McKinney last week.

Hickman Martin, of Hillsboro, is visiting relatives in McKinney.

Mrs. Tobe Chandler, of Plano, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Time Oates is visiting friends in Farmersville and Wylie.

Miss Rosa Jackson, of Ladonia, is visiting Miss Peal Bagley this week

Dr. Taylor has opened his Dental Office over H. C. Herndon's Drug Store.

Miss Laura Coffey was the hostess of a number of her friends Friday evening.

Mr. B. O. Wylie, of Wylie Bro's. store, will return home to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Emerson, and little daughter are at Tioga Wells this week.

Miss Mary Harvey, of Missouri, is visiting his cousins, Misses Emma and Sophia Moore.

Tom Perkins, of the Wylie Rustler, is practicing law in the Nevada and Wylie courts.

Editor A. L. George, of the Texas Prisoner of Leonard, called to see us this week.

Buy the celebrated Musser maple syrup from W. W. McDowell. West of Foote House.

The editor and wife will leave this week to be in attendance on the meeting of the Texas Press Association.

Frank Wilcox, Plummer Harris, Fred Largent and their families are out fishing to-day.

Aleo is a newly created postoffice in East Collin. Lemuel C. Smith is postmaster.

Dr. Taylor will give special prices for the next 60 days.

Mr. Oldham, of the Mississippi store, returned from Bonham Monday evening.

Miss Florence Throckmorton left, Saturday, for a few days visit to friends in Paris, Tex.

See the date on the margin of your paper and if you are in arrears please pay us; we need the money.

Miss Ona Cameron went to Dallas, Saturday, on a few days visit to her sister, Mrs M. F. Brackney.

Miss Gabrieille Coffey, of Van Alstyne, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marion Warden this week.

Tom Hesley was kicked by a colt, Thursday, and had one of the bones in his left arm broken.

The hill on West Virginia street is being scraped down a few feet by the city road hands.

R. T Quisenberry will speak on the demands of the alliance at Back Bone school house, on May 18, at night.

Severeal from McKinney will attend the closing exercises of Blue Ridge school to-morrow night.

Capt. and Mrs. Johnson, Sr., visited their son, Judge Merrill Johnson, in Paris, last week.

Rev. J. S. Cameron, of Altoga, was in McKinney Monday. He settled his subscription to The Democrat.

Remember we take wood on subscription Those who promised us wood are reminded that we need the same.

Dr. Taylor will put you in teeth without plates.

Geo. Malone was arrested yesterday on a charge of violating the local option law. This is the first arrest under the new law.

Are you all tired out, do you have that tired feeling or sick headache? You can be relieved of all these by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A number of young people enjoyed a banquet at the Odd Fellow's hall Tuesday night. A band furnished excellent music.

Dr. Taylor will extract your teeth without pain, and no bad results.

Mrs. Winnie Shipley, who has been visiting relatives in McKinney, returned to her home in Sherman, last week.

Clarene Ball, manager of the Dallas branch of the McKinney Bottling Works, and Fay Davis, an employe of same, left, Friday, for that city.

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A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
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Smoke Uncle Abe cigars.

Mrs. Goddard drove out to Mr. Wallace's farm near Viney Grove one day last week.

Miss Ida Cummins, manager of the Mississippi Store's millnery department, is able to attend business again, after a few days illness.

Sweet goods, candies, sugars, and molasses the best at W. W. McDowell's.

Miss Linnie Crutcher arrived in McKinney, Thursday, to spend vacation with her parents, Eld. and Mrs. Crutcher. She is a student in the Herring college of Homoeopathy, Chicago.

To-day and to-morrow there will be an examination of teachers of the city public scnools, conducted by Supt. C. O. Smith, at the city school building

Philip Crutcher left Tuesday on his return to Pine Bluff, Ark., after a most pleasant visit to his parents, Eld. and Mrs. Crutcher, in this city.

School Superintendant Shepherd, accompanied by Walter B. Wilson, of The Democrat, are attending the closing exercises of the Blue Ridge school.

Persons who sympathize with the afflicted will rejoice with D. E. Carr of 1235 Harrison street, Kansas City. He is an old sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism, but has not heretofore been troubled in this climate. Last winter he went up into Wisconsin and in consequence has had another attack. "It came upon me again very acute and severe," he said, "My joints swelled and became inflamed: sore to touch or almost to look at. Upon the urgent request of my mother-in-law, I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm to reduce the swelling and easa the pain, and to my agreeable surprise, it did both. I have used three fifty cent bottles and believe it to be the finest thing for rheumatism pains and swellngs extant. For sale by H. C. Herndon, druggist.

Buy the Buffalo hams and breakfast bacon from W. W. McDowell.

Capt. R. M. Board offers his residence in McKinney for sale. This is a chance for some one to get a lovely valuable home at a bargain

The New Hope school Commencement exercises was attended by a large number of people Tuesday night. An interesting program was disposed of.

The public school exhibition at New Hope Tuesday night was attended by a great throng of people. All seemed well pleased with Prof. Yarbrough and pupils' effort to furnish entertainment

I have the best bulk coffees and the best brands of tea.
W. W. McDowell.

Silas Lucas gave a party at his father's, Mr. Gabe Lucas, residence Friday night to his young friends. Many were present and enjoyed Si's hospitality.

Dr. M. L. Quinn will hold an examination in McKinney, early in June, for the London College of Music. Applicants will be present from Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana, Illinois and several other states.

Our brains, our money and our reputation are all at stake, all depending upon the BUCKSKIN BREECHES for support We aimed to make them the best working pants possible. We guarantee them to be the best pants made. Won't you test our sincerity?

A party, composed of 12 young McKinney sports, indulged in the rare amusement of a moonlight "snipe hunt" one evening last week, a few miles out of town. All report a gay time except the fellow who held the sack.

Last Friday Convict Agent McConnell took the following prisoners from the McKinney jail to the penitentiary at Rusk: Everett Hollander, 9 years; William Pollard, 4 years; William Apple, 5 years; F. J. Reed, 3 years; Alvin Boas, 5 years; John Dolan, 5 years; Sharp Wilson, (col.) 6 years.

Potted duck, turkey, chickens and ham and the best assortment of can goods in town at W. W. McDowell's.

George Walker returned, Sunday evening, from Dallas, where he had been a few days attending the bedside of a sick uncle, Rev. A. P. Smith, pastor of the first Presbyterian church in that city.

A lady from Cleburne, accompanied by a gentleman, was in McKinney last week looking for her two children whom her recreant husband was trying to retain possesion of in flight

Mr. Hammond authorizes us to say that his wife was never within two miles of the reported small-pox cases near Plano and that she has never returned to McKinney and will not for some time to come. The rumors regarding her being exposed to small-pox are false in every particular.

Groceries, the best and the freshest in town at W. W. McDowell's.

Owing to the rain and mud only a few teachers responded to the call of Supt. Shepherd to meet last Saturday in McKinney and agree upon a place and arrange for holding the summer normal for this county. The meeting was accordingly postponed to meet again Saturday, May 11, when it is hoped a large representation of teachers will be present.

Marshal Burks gave us a view of the fiemen's hall which is comfortably and neatly furnished. A large picture of H. C. Herndon attracts the eye of the visitor. Citizens should aid the fire boys in every possible way. A visit to City recorder, Finch's, office developed the fact that business is dull in that part of town with the exception that several cases of drunkenness has been docketed since May 1. The city has just been provided with a splendid bath apartment by our hardware merchant, J. P. Dowell. The furnishing and arrangement is excellent and speaks well for Mr Dowell in that line of business. The fire boys met recently and elected officers as follows: Sam Burks, chief; W. P. Suttle, assistant chief; Jesse Atkinson, secretary and collector; Ed Newsome, treasurer. Jesse Atkinson, Sam Welch, James Moore and Wilbur Brouse were elected delegates to attend the state firemens' meeting,

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Drs. de Villiers and Miteau, veterinary surgeons, who have recently located here have filled a long felt want in McKinney. Their office is upstairs in the Johnson block and they may be found at Coffey's livery stable. These gentlemen are graduates of the famous veterinary colleges of Alfort and Lyons, France respectively. They have a full line of the latest improved instruments which farmers should not fail to see when in town.

RELIGIOUS.

The first Sunday in June is children's day for the Cumberland Presbyterians.

Children's day, next Sunday, will be appropriately observed by most of McKinney's churches.

A Catholic church will soon be in the course of erection in McKinney. It will be built in the north-west part of town in the H. L. Davis addition.

C. A. Barton, the noted boy preacher was in McKinney last week and lectured in Plano Saturday night. He is at present pastor of the first Christian church of Cleburne.

Rev. J. H. Wofford, pastor of the C. P. church in McKinney, has returned from Mexia where the state Sunday School convention and Pastors' institute of the Cumberlands were in session last week. He had a very pleasant trip and was honored with the chairmanship of the state Pastors' institute the ensuing year.

At the regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth League, Monday night, Mrs. Giles Houston was elected 3rd vice president. As such she is president of the literary department and the entire membership is sanguine that the meetings of this, too often, neglected department will become one of the McKinney League's most interesting features. Mr. Morrell and Mrs. Giles Houston were chosen delegates and Misses Pearl Nelson and Lula Allbritton alternates to the North Texas conference which meets in Gainesville.

Rev. E. W. Alderson ably occupied the Methodist pulpit, Sunday. And above all these things put on charity, which is the bond of perfectness." Col. 3:14. Among the many wise sayings of the eminent divine during the year are the following. As the text says charity (which is rendered love in the revised version) is the golden thread struck in God's mint which holds everything in place and is essentially the principle of meekness. Charity rejoices in the success of others. Men imagine that zeal is a manifestation of truth, it may be a demonstration of sincerity, snobbornness or ignorance. Let a man be genuinely converted his spirit is to seek somebody else. Charity never boasts. It doesn't suffer the devil to conquer it. There may be a time when patience ceases to be a virtue but charity never ceases to be a virtue. Though we must protect ourselves against assaults we must not permit the canker of hate to rankle in our hearts. Charity always puts the best construction on what others say. Of faith, hope and charity, charity is the greatest, for why longer are faith and hope needed after the eternal bliss of heaven is attained. But charity love continues ever and ever one and the same throughout time and eternity.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

"And the Lord said unto Moses, Wherefore criest thou to me? Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward." Exodus 14:15.

The above formed the text from which Rev. Robertson preached an excellent sermon, at the Baptist church, Sunday at 11 a. m.

The minister thought that opportunity was equivalent to a command from God to "go forward." There are many opportunities presented in these modern times, and he thought that the Baptist church of McKinney was blessed with a grand opportunity at present and thus beseeched its membership to arouse, put on the righteous armor and enter the fight in the cause of humanity and humanity's God. One evil had just been removed from the public highways of McKinney, but other work was left to be done. The day for practical religion was near at hand and he predicted an advancement by the army of workers that would break down the barriers of iniquity even to the extent of destroying forever the power and influence of the pope of Rome.

The sermon was listened to attentively throughout.

Program of Childrens day service at the Baptist church, Sunday, May 12, 8 p. m.

1. Music—By School.
2. Scripture Lesson—Effie Dodmon.
3. Invocation—Prof. S. Palmer Brooks.
4. Music—By School.
5. Recitation—"The First Children's Day"—Maizie Webb.
6. Dialogue—"Jesus and the Children's"—Four Little Girls.
7. Music—"The Blessing of Song"—Solo—Laura Hedgecoxe.
8. Recitation—"The Bible Says I May"—John Stiff.
9. Motion Piece—"How We Remember Bible Verses"—Eight Little Ones.
10. Music.
11. Recitation—"The Ballad of Balance"—Daisy Gerrish.
12. Recitation—"Far Out Upon the Prairie"—Ozella Perry.
13. Motion Song—The Little Ones.
14. Recitation, "Our Minister's Sermon"—June Melton.
15. Recitation—"What Children Can Do"—Ola Webb.
16. Recitation—"Scatter Seeds of Kindness"—Sallie Dowell.
17. Music—By School.
18. Recitation—"Has Charity Begun?"—Sadie Dowell.
19. Dialogue—"Children's Work in Missions"—Eva Hedgecoxe, Allie Coleman, Florence Johnson, Enid Perry, Bessie Keen, Nannie Moore, Mary Coleman.
20. Collection.
21. Music—By School.
22. Benediction.

Everybody invited.

J. M. ROBERTSON, Pastor.
T. C. PERRY, S. S. Supt.
Miss SARAH WEBB, S. S. Sec.
W. T. MOORE, Treas.

C. E. PROGRAM.

Program for Endeavor services to be held at the Christian church on the second Sunday night in May, beginning at 8 o'clock.

1. Opening song.
2. Scripture reading and prayer, by O. M. Goddard.
3. Song.
4. Paper—"Does it Pay to be an Endeavorer," by Plummer Harris.
5. Our Motto—"For Christ and the Church"—W. C. Gray.
6. Solo—"Not Ashamed of Christ"—Miss Willie Thomas.
7. Paper, "Progress of the C. E. Movement"—Sumner Lansdale.
8. Song.
9. Report of the Secretary, Miss Florence Thomas.
10. Address, "How does the C. E. help the Church"—Jas. Crutcher.
11. Song.
12. A few remarks by the President, Hugh McClellan.
13. Recitation, "Last Hymn"—Nellie Fox.
14. Song—"Jesus Lover of my Soul."
15. Collection—All invited to take part.
16. Song and Benediction.

Everybody is cordially invited to be present and come prepared to give a little something as the proceeds are to be expended for charitable purposes. This Endeavor Society has done some noble work in the way of assisting the poor of our city and the good people of our town, no doubt, will show their appreciation of these kindly acts by a liberal contribution.

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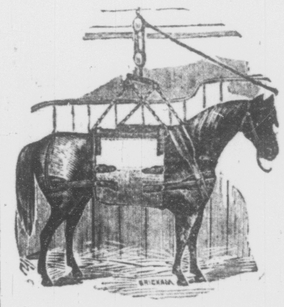

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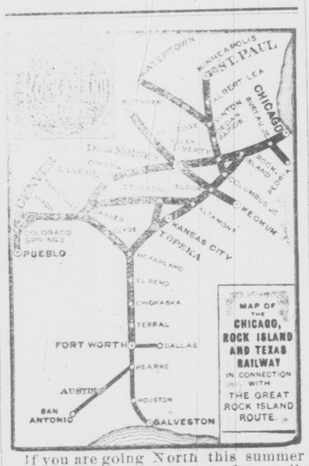

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CONSTITUTION OF CAMP 109, UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS TO BE SUBMITTED AT THE HOUSTON GATHERING.

McKinney, Texas, May 4.—Camp 109 United Confederat Veterans met to-day and transacted a considerable amount of important business looking to Houston reunion to begin May 22.

Among other things the following constitution was adopted and the delegates instructed to insist on its adoption at the reunion.

In view of the great importance of the matter of a new constitution, to come before the meeting at Houston, a resolution was adopted requesting its publication in The News for the benefit of all camps in the state:

To F. M. Hill, commandant of Camp 109 United Confederate Veterans: Your committee appointed at the last regular meeting of the camp to present recommendations to the camp at its meeting to-day relating to the adoption of a new constitution for the United Confederate Veterans' association, at the annual reunion to be held at Houston, Texas, beginning on May 22, would most respectfully state that for the want of time to fully consider so important a matter their report is neither as full nor as comprehensive as it should have been, but our leading idea in our work has been that, as the association is merely a voluntary organization, and as it is difficult to induce many of our comrades to study and fully understand their duties under any constitution that may be adopted, the constitution to be adopted by the Houston convention should be as concise and as simple in its provisions as is practible in order to insure a complete and effective organization.

With this view of the subject the following proposed constitution is respectfully submitted to the camp as being such as should be adopted at Houston as the organic law of the association of United Confederate Veterans:

Article 1. Name—This association shall be known as the United Confederate Veteran Association of the United States of America, to be subdivided, governed and constituted as hereinafter provided, and having for its object the accomplishment of the purposes hereinafter set forth.

Art. 2. Purposes—The objects and purposes of this association shall, in their character, be social literary, historical and benevolent and everything of political significance and religious sectarianism shall be totally discarded in its deliberations and, in the conduct of its affairs. Nor is it to have any military significance, though it shall adopt, in its organization, necessary military titles, methods and machinery. It shall also have for one of its purposes the promotion of memorial and monumental enterprises and undertakings designed to preserve in an enduring manner the memory of our brave dead and their heroic deeds. And it shall have for a further purpose the securing of the enactment of laws by the legislatures of the southern states providing homes and other means of protection and support for our honorable and indigent brethren who may be compelled, in their years of decrepitude and helplessness, to rely upon charity for their support.

Art. 4. Membership—All ex-confederates who are in good standing in the organizations to which they belonged can become members of this association by first becoming members of some camp in said association and complying with the requirements of this constitution, and with the rules and by-laws of the camps of which they are members.

Art. 5. The camp—Sec. 1. The camp shall be the primary organization of the United Confederate Veterans' association and shall consist of any number of veterans not less than ten, who are eligible to membership under the requirements in article 4 above; provided, that a less number than ten but not less than five may at the discretion of the adjutant general for good cause shown, be permitted to organize on an equality with other camps.

Sec. 2. Any camp organized as above set out shall procure a charter from the adjutant general's headquarters by paying into said office the sum of $2, charter fee, and $5 for the commissions of the officers of said camp

Sec. 3. All camps have the right to arrange the details of their separate organization and establish such regulations and requirements for the good thereof as may to them seem best, provided the same is not in conflict with or in violation of any of the provisions of this constitution. And may also choose such officers and that in such manner as may seem best. The roster of officers for the camps in the appendix to this constitution, being suggested in order to secure uniformity in the official rolls necessary to be kept in the office of the adjutant general of the association.

Sec. 4. All existing organizations whether known as camps or by other names will be received into this association on a compliance with the provisions of this constitution applicable to camps.

Art. 6. General officers—Section 1. The general officers of this association shall consist of one general, who shall be the commander of the United Confederate Veterans of the United States, and shall be chosen by the delegates in convention assembled at each annual reunion, and shall serve for a term of one year or until his successor shall be chosen.

Sec. 2. He shall have his headquarters at the city of New Orleans, unless some emergency shall arise, compelling him to remove them to some other place. He shall have power to appoint an adjutant general and such other staff officers as he may deem necessary to the full performance of his duties as the general commanding.

Art. 7. Departments—Section 1. There shall be three departments in the association, to-wit, the department of the army of northern Virginia, composed of the states of Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Maryland, the District of Columbia, and the states east of Ohio and north of Maryland; the army of Tennessee composed of Kentucky Tennessee, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisina and the northern states east of the Mississippi river, and west of the western boundary line of Pennsylvania; army of the trans-Mississippi department, composed of the states and territories west of the Mississippi river, except that part of Louisiana west of said river.

Sec. 2. There shall be elected annually by the delegates in convention assembled at the reunion, a lieutenant general for each department, who shall serve for one year or until his successor shall be elected.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the lieutenant general to command his department, efficiently and in order to enable him to do this he shall appoint an adjutant general of the department and such other staff officers as he may think necessary for the organization and control of his department.

Art. 8. Divisions—Section 1. Each state and territory having as many as ten camps of ten veterans each shall constitute a division, which shall be commanded by a major general; provided that the state of Texas shall be divided into five divisions as originally constituted by general order No. 4 of the general commanding, issued on the 29th day of December, 1891. And provided, that any state by a majority vote of the delegates, in annual reunion may be divided into two or more camps, and provided further, that no division shall contain less than five camps of ten veterans each.

Sec. 2. Each division shall be commanded by one major general who shall be elected by the delegates in annual reunion and shall serve for one year or until his successor shall be elected or appointed.

Sec. 3. Each major general shall appoint one adjutant general and such other staff officers as may be, by him, deemed necessary to the efficient command of his division.

Art. 9. Representation—Section 1. Each camp shall be entitled in deliberation held at the annual reunion, to one vote for each twenty members of the camp in good standing, and in addition thereto one for each fraction of twenty of ten or over; provided, that each organized camp that has complied with all the requirements herein contained shall have at least one vote regardless of the number of its members. But when meetings or conventions are held in departments and in divisions the basis of representation shall be determined by such convention themselves.

Sec. 2. By "good standing" in this constitution is meant that a comrade must have, in addition to the requirements set forth in article 4, above, also have paid his dues to the annual association.

Art. 10.—Dues—Section 1. Each member of the general association is required to pay an annual assessment of 10 cents, to be paid into the adjutant general's office for the purpose of defraying the the current expenses of the organization.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the officers of each camp to collect annually by the 25th of March the above said per capita assessment of its members and to forward the same by the 1st day of April to the adjutant general's office with a correct roll of the members of the camp who have paid such assessment.

Sec. 3. The number of delegates that any camp may be entitled to in the conventions or councils of any sort shall be determined by the number of members that have paid said per capita assessment.

Art. 11.—Office of adjutant general— Section 1. The office of adjutant general of the United Confederate Veterans shall be in the city of New Orleans until otherwise determined by emergencies to be judged of by the general commanding and by the adjutant general, both agreeing to such changes as may be at any time made.

Sec. 2. The adjutant general shall be the chief of staff of the general commanding and shall be the custodian of all the archives of the U. C. V. association, shall receive and disburse all the funds of the association and perform all the duties incident to and belonging to said office.

Sec. 3. The adjutant general shall be allowed the sum of $2000 per annum for his services and shall be required to enter into a bond of $5000 for the faithful performance of his duties with security approved by the commanders of the several camps in the city of New Orleans, and shall be allowed the further sum of $2000 per annum for stationery, printing, postage and clerk hire, said sums to be paid out of the funds collected by the camps and paid into the adjutant general's headquarters as herein above provided.

Sec. 4 It shall be the duty of the adjutant general to make annual reports to the association, making a full exhibit of all moneys collected and disbursed by him during the past year.

Art. 12.—Committees—Section 1. The general commanding shall, at each annual reunion, appoint the following committees to consist of one member from each division, to-wit: A committee on representation and credentials, on finance, to examine the financial report of the adjutant general, on history, on constitutional amendments, on benevolence, on resolutions, all of which committees shall make their reports annually to the convention while in session. Such other committees may be appointed from time to time as the convention may determine. Provided that the committee on history shall report at the next annual reunion after its appointment.

Sec. 2. All matters called to the attention of the annual convention by resolution or otherwise, by either a camp or an individual comrade, shall be referred to the proper committee and said committee shall report their action on the same to the convention for action without delay.

Art. 13.—Jurisdiction 1. It shall be the duty of each camp to see that each individual member thereof is a member of this association in "good standing" as heretofore defined, and in case complaint is made against any member of a camp, he shall have a right of trial before said camp and in case he is not satisfied with the judgment of the camp he shall have a right to appeal from said judgment to a court marshal to be appointed by the major general of the division, and also to appeal from the judgment of said court martial in case he is not satisfied with the judgment of said court to the annual convention, the judgment of which shall be final.

Sec. 2. But any comrade against whom complaint may be made shall have the right, at all times to be heard both in person and by counsel.

Sec. 3. Where membership in "good standing" has been lost the same may be restored by the majority vote of the camp in which the same may have been lost.

Art. 14.—Disbursement of money—All moneys paid out shall be paid on the requisition of the adjutant general, approved by the general commanding.

Art. 15.—Emergencies—Section 1. In case of the death, resignation, inability or refusal of any officer of a camp, division or department to perform his official duty, it shall be the duty of the officer to whom such officer shall report for duty, to declare his office vacant and to appoint some suitable person to fill his unexpired term.

Sec. 2. In case of the death or inability of the general commanding the duties of his office shall be performed until the next annual reunion by the senior lieutenant general, the one having served as lieutenant general the longest period of time being such senior.

Art. 16.—Seal, badge, etc.—Section 1. The association shall have a suitable seal and such badge or badges as the convention may adopt in general session or by a committee appointed for such purpose.

Sec. 2. All records of the association and property belonging to the same shall be kept in the memorial hall of the Louisiana Historical association, provided the proper authorities to act for said association shall consent to the same, until further orders by the general commanding or by the association at its annual reunion.

Art. 17. Proxies, etc.—Section 1. No proxies shall be allowed in the deliberations of the convention, but in case the full number of delegates for any camp shall fail to attend at the annual meetings those who do attend shall be allowed to cast the entire vote in the camp.

Sec. 2. The conventions of this association, held for the transaction of the business of the association, shall be governed by the usual parliamentary rules for similar bodies and by such special rules as the convention may from time to time find necessary for its government.

Art. 18. Amending the constitution—Section 1. This constitution may be amended by a majority vote of the delegates in convention assembled, but any member of the association desiring to have the constitution amended shall file his proposed amendment with the chairman of the committee on constitutional amendments at least ten days before the meeting of the association in annual reunion, otherwise it shall not be considered by the association until the following reunion.

Sec. 2. By a two-third vote of the delegates the above section of this article may be suspended and proposed amendments may be considered during the reunion at which they may be offered.

Sec. 3. The constitution of the association when adopted shall be promulgated by the general commanding by a general order, which shall be communicated by his chief of staff, to all the lieutenant and major generals to their adjutant generals and commanders of camps and their adjutants and all others orders by the general commanding shall be promulgated in the same way and to the same officers.

Art. 19. Time and place of meeting—The time and place of the annual meeting of the association for each year shall be determined by a majority vote of the delegates in convention assembled provided that the commanding general, with the advice and consent of the three lieutenant generals, may change either or both the time and place of such annual meeting, and in case such change is at any time made he shall see that ample notice is given to all camps of such change or changes.

Appendix—A. We deem it the duty of the general commanding and all inferior commanding officers to see that their subordinates perform all their duties promptly and efficiently, and in case of a failure or refusal to do so the derelict subordinate officer should be removed from office and his place filled by the proper appointing power.

B. In order to secure as great uniformity as possible in camp organization the following roster of officers is recommended: A major commandant of camp, three lieutenant commanders, adjutant, treasurer, quartermaster, chaplain, vidette and one sergeant for every twenty-five members in the camp.

C. The duties of all subordinate officers should be clearly defined by the superior to whom they are to report and a sense of duty should prompt such subordinate officers to faithfully perform every duty assigned him by his superior.

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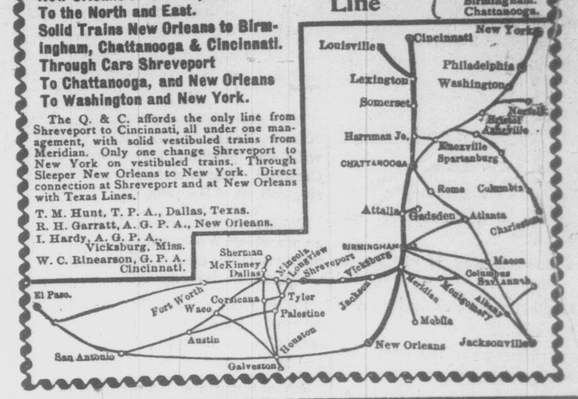

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